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States. The waiver does not apply to a citizen or resident of Cuba, Mongolia, North Korea (Democratic People's Republic of Korea), Vietnam (Socialist Republic of Vietnam), or the People's Republic of China.

- (f) Landed immigrants in Canada; passport waiver. An alien applying for a visa at a consular office in Canada:
- (1) Who is a landed immigrant in Canada;
- (2) Whose port and date of expected arrival in the United States are known; and
- (3) Who is proceeding to the United States under emergent circumstances which preclude the timely procurement of a passport or Canadian certificate of identity.
- (g) Authorization to individual consular office; visa and/or passport waiver. An alien within the district of a consular office which has been authorized by the Department, because of unusual circumstances prevailing in that district, to join with immigration officers abroad in waivers of documentary requirements in specific categories of cases, and whose case falls within one of those categories.

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# Subpart B—Classification of Nonimmigrants

## §41.11 Entitlement to nonimmigrant status.

(a) Presumption of immigrant status and burden of proof. An applicant for a

nonimmigrant visa, other than an alien applying for a visa under INA 101(a)(15) (H)(i) or (L), shall be presumed to be an immigrant until the consular officer is satisfied that the alien is entitled to a nonimmigrant status described in INA 101(a)(15) or otherwise established by law or treaty. The burden of proof is upon the applicant to establish entitlement for nonimmigrant status and the type of nonimmigrant visa for which application is made.

(b) Aliens unable to establish non-immigrant status. (1) A nonimmigrant visa shall not be issued to an alien who has failed to overcome the presumption of immigrant status established by INA 214(b).

(2) In a borderline case in which an alien appears to be otherwise entitled to receive a visa under INA 101(a)(15)(B) or (F) but the consular officer concludes that the maintenance of the alien's status or the departure of the alien from the United States as required is not fully assured, a visa may nevertheless be issued upon the posting of a bond with the Attorney General under terms and conditions prescribed by the consular officer.

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### § 41.12 Classification symbols.

A visa issued to a nonimmigrant alien within one of the classes described in this section shall bear an appropriate visa symbol to show the classification of the alien. The symbol shall be inserted in the space provided in the visa stamp. The following visa symbols shall be used:

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Symbol	Class	Section of law
A–1	Ambassador, Public Minister, Career Diplomat or Consular Officer, or Immediate Family.	101(a)(15)(A)(i).
A-2	Other Foreign Government Official or Employee, or Immediate Family	101(a)(15)(A)(ii).
A–3	Attendant, Servant, or Personal Employee of A-1 or A-2, or Immediate Family.	101(a)(15)(A)(iii).
B–1	Temporary Visitor for Business	101(a)(15)(B).
B-2		101(a)(15)(B).
B-1/B-2	Temporary Visitor for Business & Pleasure	101(a)(15)(B).
C-1	Alien in Transit	101(a)(15)(C).
C-1/D	Combined Transit and Crewman Visa	101(a)(15)(C) and (D).
C-2	Alien in Transit to United Nations Headquarters District Under Sec. 11.(3), (4), or (5) of the Headquarters Agreement.	101(a)(15)(C).
C–3	Foreign Government Official, Immediate Family, Attendant, Servant or Personal Employee, in Transit.	212(d)(8).
D	Crewmember (Sea or Air)	101(a)(15)(D).
E-1	Treaty Trader, Spouse or Child	